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Brady, et al.

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Polyolefin Film

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 6, 1998, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1. (twice amended) [In a process] A process for producing a high WVTR film comprising:

(a) extruding a precursor film from a composition comprising a polyolefin and a filler, said filler being present in said composition in an amount sufficient to increase the water vapor transmission rate of said precursor film upon stretching [polyolefin/filler combination]; and

(b) [optionally embossing said precursor film to impose thereon in a pattern of multiple film thickness; the improvement including] stretching said precursor film by